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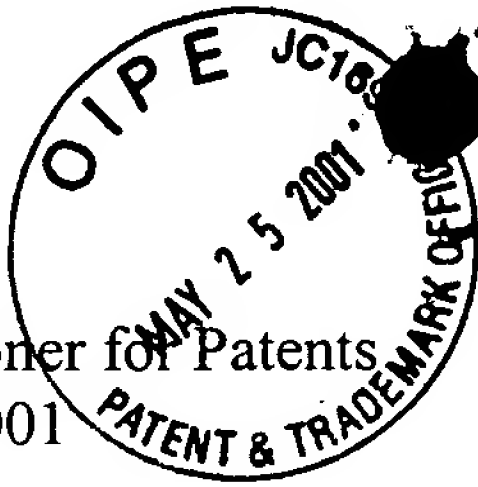
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- (1) An Amendment and Request for Reconsideration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 to Office Action dated November 22, 2000;
- (2) A Request for an Extension of Time of three months to and including May 22, 2001;
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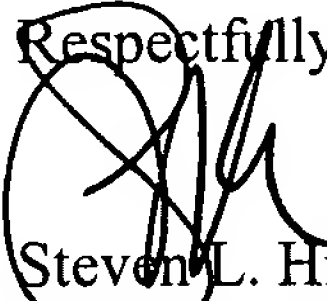
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